Citizens may comment on a proposed consent order for a site located in Franklin County, Virginia

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: October 29, 2007 to November 28, 2007.

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To invite the public to comment on a proposed consent order.

A consent order is issued to a business owner or other responsible party to perform specific actions that will bring the entity into compliance with the relevant law and regulations. It is developed cooperatively with the facility and entered into by mutual agreement.

CONSENT ORDER DESCRIPTION: The State Water Control Board proposes to issue a consent order to Mr. Lewis Kennett to address alleged violations of the Virginia Regulations. The location of the site where the alleged violations occurred is in Franklin County, Virginia. The consent order describes a settlement to resolve violations associated with impounding a stream without the required permits. It requires the signatory to pay a civil penalty, institute a plan for removal of the impoundment and impoundment structure, restore the impacted stream, and comply with the Virginia Regulations.

HOW A DECISION IS MADE: After public comments have been considered, the DEQ director will make a final decision.

HOW TO COMMENT: DEQ accepts comments from the public by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period.

TO REVIEW THE CONSENT ORDER: The public may review the proposed consent order at the DEQ West Central Regional Office in Roanoke, VA every work day by appointment or on the DEQ web site at www.deq.virginia.gov.

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